

Coyle Theatre Thursday, Mary Pickford in a Five-Reel Feature, "The Eagle's Mate"

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TWO CENTS

MILL MEN DISAPPOINTED AT LATE DATE OF CHRISTMAS PAY

Donora's Big Pay Will Take Place Tuesday Afternoon Next

COULD NOT BE MADE SOONER

The big mills at Donora have announced that their Christmas pay this year will be made Tuesday afternoon December 24, and it is said that considerable dissatisfaction has been expressed by the millmen over what they consider such a late date.

Heretofore the mills had adopted a policy of paying a couple of days before the holiday in order to allow the men and their families an opportunity to do Christmas shopping without putting it off until the last minute. Under the old system of paying on Saturday the money was invariably distributed on the Saturday previous to Christmas, or if Christmas came at the latter end of the week the pay was distributed as soon as the checks could be gotten ready after the pay closed. Since the change was made whereby the pay now comes on the 10th and 25th there has always been one or two full days available for Christmas shopping until this present year. Christmas coming this year as it does on Wednesday makes Tuesday the only available day on which to distribute the pay.

Mill officials in charge of the pay roll say it is beyond all possibility to have the roll checked over and the money ready for distribution by Saturday next. For private reasons the mills will not put up a pay on Saturday and carry the money over the week end in their vaults, and as the money is not available until Monday the envelopes will not be ready until Tuesday. The pay coming Christmas eve will make shopping in Donora very lively for the last day before Christmas, but the merchants hope to be able to take care of every customer.

OFFER REWARD FOR GUILTY DRIVERS

So many accidents having happened to the "silent policemen" which are stationed at various street corners in the borough Burgess Woodward has announced that a reward of \$5 will be paid for information leading to the arrest and conviction of any one who runs into and damages any of these signals in the future. There have been cases where auto drivers who have accidentally collided with these sentinels, have called at the police station and reported the accident. In some such cases no action was taken but in all other cases where drivers cause the accident and then get away, the local authorities will make it somewhat expensive if they apprehend those guilty.

INSPECTORS LOOK OVER MANY SAMPLES

Seven hundred and fifty samples of various foods and drinks were taken in thirty counties in Pennsylvania and analyzed by agents of Dairy and Food Commissioner Fost during November, resulting in 56 orders for arrests, including some for the sale of fruit syrups with coal tar dyes, and sausage with an undue amount of water. The total receipts for the month were \$6,510.92, making \$485,326.21 since the first of the year.

—DON'T LET OUR COUNTY FAIL—
Mens fine initial handkerchiefs all prices. R. O. Vetter. 164-77
—DON'T LET OUR COUNTY FAIL—

IS ARRESTED FOR ROBBERY

Taken While Robbing Cash Register in Mike Anast's Store

HAD BROKEN THROUGH DOOR

Charles Johnson, colored, who says that his native home town is Baltimore, Maryland, was arrested this morning while robbing a cash register in Mike Anast's fruit and confectionery store, Fallowfield avenue near Fifth, while in the act of robbing the cash register. He had broken the glass in the front door, which made egress into the storeroom very easy. He had been in the store but a few minutes when he was arrested by the police. When questioned later in the police station as to why he had committed the robbery he said he "needed the money."

Johnson is not known in this section, having apparently drifted in here only a few days ago. He was a lodger in the police station Sunday night, but the police were compelled to deny any further hospitality because of the unclean condition of the prisoner. It is said that Johnson is a "coke" fiend and possibly committed the crime with a view of being sent to some prison for the winter months. He will likely be accommodated.

—WE MUST WIN THAT TABLET—
CAPT ALEX GRAY
HOME FROM OVERSEAS

Capt. Alexander B. Gray of the United States Aero Service, and sentinels, have called at the police station and reported the accident. In some such cases no action was taken but in all other cases where drivers cause the accident and then get away, the local authorities will make it somewhat expensive if they apprehend those guilty.

Say Coal Prices May Go Higher

The coal situation in the Pittsburgh district, according to leading operators, is somewhat puzzling at the present time. Although the mild weather has caused the demand for domestic coal to fall off at least 30 per cent from last year, the inquiry for steam and by-product coal is still very strong. This demand, according to those in touch with the situation is creating a demand for miners in all fields. West Virginia operators have asked permission to take miners from the Pittsburgh district but this request has been refused. Local officials say that mines in western Pennsylvania need all the men they can get at the present time. In fact it is said this district is short at least 10,000 miners and 7,000 laborers.

In the way of prices one operator will go higher than the maximum rates fixed by the government. Of course no one can tell what will happen, as it will depend largely on weather conditions, which may turn quite cold after the first of the year. This same operator expressed the opinion that there were enough miners in this district to produce all the coal necessary, providing they worked full time. With the return of men from army service it is believed there will be an abundance of miners and the men who are now so independent may be glad to put in all the time they can.

Local wagon mine operators are running full time apparently and quite a number of cars are loaded every week in the Charleroi railroad yards for shipment to the trade.

TO PROTECT ROADS FROM SNOW DRIFTS INFLUENZA COST MONESSEN \$9,500

The state of Pennsylvania will have about 20 miles of snow fences along its main highways when the program outlined by George H. Biles, the deputy commissioner in charge of maintenance and snow removal is completed.

Several miles of these fences have been made for others. Some of the stretches along the Lincoln Highway which gave trouble last winter have been lined with the fences and the others are being located in sections along the roads where the snowstorms have blocked traffic. The bulk of the fences will be erected where it has been found that the outlay for construction is cheaper than the cost of labor and horses in moving snow in winter to keep roads open.

—DON'T LET OUR COUNTY FAIL—
FUNERAL SERVICE FOR
MRS BERT McILVAIN

The funeral of Mrs. Mary McIlvain, wife of Bert McIlvain, who died Saturday at their home in Toronto, Ohio, was held Monday afternoon at one o'clock, the funeral party arriving from Toronto on the 12:17 train.

Rev. Merrell, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church of Toronto had charge of the services in Toronto while Rev. John R. Burson, pastor of the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church of Charleroi, officiated at the grave.

Mrs. McIlvain was a member of the First Presbyterian church of Toronto. She was well known in Charleroi, having spent the summers here for several years past and held membership in the Protective Home Circle of Charleroi. Many friends from here attended the burial, interment taking place in Glendale cemetery at Donora.

Coming this Week at the MAJESTIC THEATRE
Tuesday—"ANGEL CHILD" and "4th of July in France"
Wednesday—"OVER THERE"
Thursday—"RAINBOW TRAIL"
Friday—"OUT OF THE NIGHT"
Saturday—"BY THE WORLD FORGOT"

SHORT PIECE OF ROADWAY WILL COST THIRD OF A MILLION DOLLARS

NAVAL TRAINING BAND WILL BE DISBANDED

The Great Lakes Training Station Band consisting of 1,700 pieces will be disbanded on orders from the Bureau of Navigation. Under the direction of Lieut. John Phillip Sousa it has appeared in parts in many cities of the country. A new band of 150 pieces will replace it. A part of the band appeared in Charleroi during the Third Liberty Loan campaign, and it was scheduled to come again during the Fourth Liberty Loan but the engagement was cancelled on account of the influenza quarantine.

—DON'T LET OUR COUNTY FAIL—

BIG FIRE AT BROWNSVILLE

Diamond Coal and Coke Suffers Another Loss At Pike Mine

BIG MOTOR HOUSE DESTROYED

The Diamond Coal & Coke company sustained a loss of about \$30,000 in a fire which occurred at 1:30 o'clock this morning at one Pike mine, Brownsville. The fire was of mysterious origin and before being subdued had destroyed the motor house, a brick structure 100x40 feet and the stock room and office, a building adjoining the motor house 40x40 feet.

A watchman is on duty at the Pike mine all night, with stations arranged at different locations, from which he must make his report at certain intervals every night. One of these stations is near where the fire originated. The watchman said he saw the flames when they appeared to be in an incipient stage, but in a few moments they had enveloped the two structures and in a short time both of them with their contents were destroyed.

The Diamond Coal & Coke company has been peculiarly unfortunate during the past few years in the way of fires, having lost four coal tipples, one barn, a big store in West Brownsville and now the destruction of property at Pike mine this morning.

—WE MUST WIN THAT TABLET—
Mack Davis, son of Wm. M. Davis of 923 McKean avenue has returned to his home after several months service with the United States Army.

—DON'T LET OUR COUNTY FAIL—
Mrs. Charles Burd and daughter Mildred spent Monday in Pittsburgh.

—WE MUST WIN THAT TABLET—
Mrs. Carl Kurpijuweit is spending the day with friends at Roscoe.

—WE MUST WIN THAT TABLET—
Remember there are only six more shopping days before Christmas, and if you have not already done your shopping, this is the time to do it.

Big Concrete Wall Will Be A Conspicuous Feature of Work

OPEN FOR TRAVEL NEXT SUMMER

The highway now under construction along the river, and opposite Monongahela leading into Pittsburgh will be one of the most expensive pieces of roadway in the United States. This stretch of roadway, possibly a little over two miles in length, will cost at least \$350,000 before it is completed during the coming summer.

Work on this new highway, which is along the hillside above the P. & L. E. railroad tracks, began some three years ago, and while it has been pushed as rapidly as possible, it has been somewhat difficult to keep operations going during the period of war, owing to the ban on materials and the scarcity of labor.

In order to hold this roadway it has been found necessary to construct one of the longest and most expensive concrete retaining walls in western Pennsylvania. This wall, varying in height according to the conformation of the grade, will extend for almost a mile along the highway, and it is estimated that its cost will be at least \$100,000. It is built of a series of pipe piling which was driven were filled with concrete in order to hold the hill and roadway against any slides which might occur in the future. Hundreds of pieces of 10-inch pipe were used in this work, which has not yet been completed, although this feature is expected to be finished within a couple of months. The concreting is progressing as rapidly as it is possible to push it, although the big wall will not be completed before next spring. After it has been completed the work of paving will be placed under way in the expectation of having the road open for traffic by early summer. The road is being built of modern in the western end of the state.

—WE MUST WIN THAT TABLET—
Annual Bazaar.
Opens this evening in St. Jerome's Lyceum. Everybody welcome. Come and bring your friends. Fine singing at 8 o'clock. Crystal euchre at 8:15. Farmer's euchre tomorrow evening at 8:15.

—WE MUST WIN THAT TABLET—
You can make no mistake when you purchase your jewelry, diamonds, cut glass, ivory and watches from us, if you want real goods and a square deal, stop and shop at I. Birken.

—DON'T LET OUR COUNTY FAIL—
Dance.
Every Wednesday at Croatian Hall, corner 11th and Schoonmaker Avenue, Monessen. Music will be furnished by the P. S. P. Co., orchestra. Everybody invited. D-10-17-24

Majestic Theatre Today
Kathleen Clifford in "Angel Child"
"FOURTH OF JULY IN FRANCE"
For the first time in history France celebrated the great American holiday as her own. Her Army, Navy, Government, People showed honor upon our American fighters. You see it all in this fascinating and unique picture.

Remember The BOYS OVER THERE

You surely want to remember our brave boys over the sea this Christmas. Send your remittance to them by Bank Draft a safe and economical way to forward it. You can obtain these Drafts of us.

The First National Bank
Charleroi, Pa.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

Mandolins 5.00 to 15.00
Violins 7.00 to 45.00
Guitars 5.00 to 15.00
Drums 3.00 to 15.00
Ukelele-Violin Cases
Mandolin Cases
Mouth Organs

MIGHT'S BOOK STORE

Coyle Theatre Today
Charles Ray in a Paramount Picture
"A Nine o'clock Town"
Wednesday--Olive Tell in a Metro picture
"SECRET STRINGS"

A gift should be adequately expressive of the donor's sincerity and of the depth of regard. The recipient's value of a gift responds upon sentiment, beauty and impressiveness. As only the worth endures the abiding essentials are quality and durability. Precious stones, watches, silverware, silver deposit ware, cut glass, china, bronzes, bracelets, lavallieres, lockets, fobs, cuff links, pins, match boxes, etc., are all of beauty and of excellent appropriateness as Xmas gifts.

The values offered must be seen to be appreciated

JOHN S. SCHAFER
515 McKean Ave. Charleroi, Pa.

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Pa., as Second Class Matter

ATTAIN THAT OBJECTIVE

This country's objective in this
War Savings Stamp campaign is
\$3,000,000.

To date we are about \$1,500,000
away of the mark.

And the time's growing short.

We have less than two weeks now
in which to raise this amount neces-
sary to make our quota.

And incidentally to maintain our
self respect.

All of us have more or less pride in
our country's reputation, its standing
and its record of ability to do things.

None of us want to see it branded
as a laggard, a slacker, and held up
to derision at a time like this
when loyalty stands for more than
anything else.

We want no suspicion cast in our
direction.

We want to come out of this biggest
era in world history with a clean
slate, an untarnished record of ac-
complishment.

But we will not unless we reach our
W. S. S. Quota.

Nor will we reach it unless we be-
gin immediately to make up our de-
ficiency.

Most of us have been buying our
War Savings Stamps on a two bit ba-
sis. And not extending ourselves at
that.

It simply will not do, folks.

We will have to buy them in bunch-
es from now on if we make good.

We'll have to make it two dollars
worth instead of two-bits worth a
day.

And buy early and often at that.

This country must not stand alone
in Western Pennsylvania as the one
county that failed to toe the line
of duty.

It means too much for us now and
hereafter.

We must go over the top once more.
We must attain that objective.
Get busy.

The elections throughout the Brit-
ish Isles for members of Parliament
has resulted in the re-election of Lloyd
George and his political supporters to
a continuance of power. In the elec-
tion, which is just over, all phases of
the various questions which are to be
presented at the coming peace con-
ference were discussed from the Eng-
lish standpoint, and the verdict of the
people seems to be in favor of the
principles outlined by the Premier.
Personal responsibility and punish-
ment of the former Kaiser and the
placing of an indemnity to the limit
on Germany were evidently approved
by the voters. The British repre-
sentatives will go to this conference
fresh from the people, and will make
a determined stand for conditions
which will endure for ages as a warn-
ing against any people or any coun-
try which may want to start another
war.

When the American army has set-
tled down to the real job of policing
their sector along the Rhine maybe
some of the "smart guys" over there
won't get what is coming to them.
Not that the American soldier will
do anything out of the way, but the
line will be given to understand that
his country has been conquered and
that whatever regulations are adopted
by the allied powers will have to be
obeyed.

Evidently the government be-
lieves that the suggestion of re-es-
tablishing a packet line on the Mon-
ongahela river is worth looking into.
When it has made a complete survey
of the various terminals along the
river and made a report thereon with
suggestions, it will be illuminating
to see what it will do. It is the possi-
bility of such a venture on the
Monongahela at this time.

President Wilson's reception in Paris
was a most successful one. The
newly elected French conception of
the peace conference in the world,
and it was only natural for the peo-
ple of that country to give him a
most wonderful reception.

"No German goods" sold in this
store is a popular sign displayed in
New York stores.

FORGE YOUR RHEUMATISM

Not Necessary to Have Your
Troubles With You Any
Longer

Don't suffer when you can get "Neu-
trone Prescription 59."

Rheumatism one of the most com-
mon ailments is one of the hardest
to cure, because of its being a blood
disease. Any remedy to be effective
must purify the blood and kidneys,
common sense teaches you this.

That is why "Neutrone Prescrip-
tion 59" is so successful, it is a com-
bination of blood purifying agents
prepared from the prescription of a
specialist.

It relieves those sore, inflamed
joints and muscles. "It puts out the
fire." It does all these things, re-
stores your health, makes you happy
and free from pain.

Go to your druggist today and get a
50c or \$1.00 bottle then say, good-
bye Rheumatism. Mail orders filled
on \$1.00 size. W. F. Hennings the
druggist and leading druggists ev-
erywhere.

The One and Only Charlie Chaplin
in "Shoulder Arms," Christmas Day
at Coyle Theatre. 165-12

AUDITOR'S NOTICE

In re estate of Lawrence Porig-
reux, Deceased. In the Orphan's
Court of Washington County, Penn-
sylvania. No. 27, November Term,
1915. A. A.

Notice is hereby given that the un-
derigned having been appointed
Auditor in the above entitled estate
to audit, settle and adjust any and
all exceptions which may be filed to
the final account of the executor re-
corded at above Number and Term;
to pass upon all claims against said
estate, and to make distribution of
the balance found to be in the exec-
utor's hands to and among those en-
titled thereto by the last will and tes-
tament of the said deceased, will at-
tend to the duties of his appointment
at his office at No. 511 Fallowfield
avenue, in the Borough of Charleroi
Washington county, Pennsylvania on
Friday, the 27th day of Decem-
ber, 1915, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which
time and place all persons interested
may appear if they so desire.

Hugh E. Fergus, Auditor.
D3-10-17

Full line of Khaki goods for men
yet in camps and abroad. R. O. Vet-
ter. 164-17

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Estate of Solomon Speers, deceased
late of Borough of Speers.

Letters of administration upon the
above estate having been granted to
the undersigned, notice is hereby
given to those indebted thereto to
make immediate payment, and to
those having claims or demands to
present them for settlement.

W. A. Michener, Administrator,
Belle Vernon, Pa.
Joseph C. Spriggs, Atty.
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Get your Christmas trees and holly
wreaths at Doerzbacher's. 165-15

Full line of Bath Robes \$7.50 to
\$15. R. O. Vetter. 164-17

Executors Notice.

Estate of Neri Newcomb, deceased,
late of the Borough of Charleroi,
Washington county, Pa.

Letters testamentary on the above
estate having been granted unto the
undersigned, all persons indebted to
the said estate are requested to make
payment, and those having claims to
present the same without delay to
Mrs. Anna C. Newcomb, 519 East
10th Avenue, Tarentum, Pa.
N-26-D-3-10-17-24-31

100 dozen ties at 50c boxed. R. O. Vet-
ter. 164-17

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Wyatt have re-
turned to Uniontown after spending
the weekend with Mrs. Wyatt's sister
Mrs. Charles Burd of McKean ave-
nue.

Largest line of ties at 50c to \$3.50.
R. O. Vetter. 164-17

Dr. H. Stille, Dr. J. W. Stille
of Canby and Dr. J. O. Thomas of
Dunlap were the guests of Mr. and
Mrs. A. F. Caster Tuesday.

Silk Shirts \$5 to \$12. R. O. Vet-
ter. 164-17

The Musical Auxiliary of the
Athene Club will hold their regular
meeting at the home of Miss Lula
Buffle of North Charleroi this even-
ing.

AMERICAN MEN AND WOMEN IN FIGHTING TRIM

They Keep To The Top
Notch of Health

The spirit of the times demands
perfect health and nerves, and keep-
ing them up to the highest degree of
efficiency.

Wise men and women have learned
that it does not pay to allow health
or nerves to run down and are quick
to take advantage of Nature's great-
est red blood and nerve tonic, Phos-
phated Iron, the minute they feel
they are slowing up.

Whatever your work may be there
is no reason why it should continue
to tire you; work should only use the
right amount of your energy. It is
trying to work on your nerves and
forcing yourself that wastes your
strength, runs you down, gives you
those restless nights, loss of appetite
and indigestion. When you get up in
the morning as tired as when you
went to bed.

There is no person in anyone being
a victim of ill health, poor blood,
over work, nerves or the blues when
Phosphated Iron will afford such
prompt and permanent relief.

All over the country men and wom-
en in every walk of life lay their
good health, strength and nerves of
iron to the use of Phosphated Iron,
the red blood and nerve builder, and
it will also put you on your feet,
make you feel like a live one. It
produces results that last, that's
what counts, no "ifs" about it.

To insure physicians and their
patients getting the genuine Phos-
phated Iron we have put in capsules
which do not taste like pills or tablets.
Insist on capsules.

Hennings Drug Store and leading
druggists everywhere.

ECKMAN'S
Calceolus

INVALUABLE FOR COLDS

If taken in time this calcium compound
lessens the risk of chronic throat or lung
trouble. It is a safe and sure remedy
and is combined in this Calcium com-
pound. No harmful drugs. Try them to-
day.

50 cents a box, including war tax
For sale by all druggists
Eckman Laboratory, Philadelphia

Remarkable Cures

Thankful People Tell What San Cura
Ointment Did for Them

Hennings Drug Store and Piper
Bros., Druggists, sell San Cura Oin-
tment on the money-back plan—no re-
lief—no pay. Guaranteed to relieve
eczema, tetter, salt rheum, itching,
bleeding or protruding piles, burns,
cuts, bruises, old sores, pimples, boils,
carbuncles, chapped hands, chilblains,
festers, insect bites and poison from
ivy.

"My face and neck were one mass
of sores; doctor said I had eczema and
erysipelas. I had not slept for weeks
with burning, itching pain. The
first time I used San Cura Ointment I
slept all night and in a short time
was completely cured."—Chas. Fay,
Townville, Pa.

"My wife stepped on a rusty nail
and ran it into her foot. San Cura
Ointment drew out a poisonous brown
pus and cured her promptly."—Eu-
gene McKenzie, Plum, Pa.

"I had been afflicted over thirty
years with piles and spent over \$500
for pile medicine. Two jars of San
Cura Ointment cured me."—James
Lynch, Enterprise, Pa.

San Cura Ointment costs 30c, 60c
and \$1.20 a jar at Hennings Drug
Store and Piper Bros., Druggists, and
is a splendid remedy for burns,
scalds, cuts and bruises.

SOAP REMOVES PIMPLES

San Cura Soap will remove pim-
ples, blackheads and many skin dis-
eases. Makes the complexion clear
and the skin velvety. 25 cents at
Hennings Drug Store and Piper
Bros., Druggists.

If your druggist doesn't keep it,
send to The Thompson Medical Co.,
Titusville, Pa. adv.

ADVERTISE YOUR FURNISHED
ROOMS IN THE CLASSIFIED COL-
UMN OF THE CHARLEROI MAIL

Our display of Fall Furniture suggest-
ing new ideas for the furnishing of any
room in the house, is the most extensive
we have ever planned. Our bedroom
suites are what we are unusually proud
of every step in their manufacture or
specifications has been dictated by the
best methods to be employed and they are
worthy of the title "Quality Furniture."

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R. Zeidman Furniture Co.

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Try a Classified Want Ad.

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Our large list of pleased patrons is the best ad-
vertisement we have of the efficient and satisfactory
service we employ. We invite you to investigate
our business methods and respectfully refer you to
our many satisfied customers.

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CHARLEROI, A.



Gifts of Superb, Rare Beauty for all Time.

Gold Jewelry, Diamonds, Watches, Novelties, Silverware

The difficult task of selecting the proper gift is made easy and a positive pleasure with
our courteous service and superb collection of Gold Jewelry, Watches, set and unset
Precious and Semi Precious Stones, Solid and Plated Ware, Cut Glass, Hand Painted
China, Rock Crystals, etc. The exceptionally wide variety of our stocks, their splendid
quality and moderate prices will enable you to secure "just" the gift for "Him" or
"Her" at the right cost. For instance:

Suggestions for Him

Cuff Links
Chains
Cigarette Cases
Cigar Cases
Card Cases
Cigar Cutters
Desk Fittings
Flasks
Fobs
Emblem Chains & Buttons
Emblem Rings & Pins
Gold Knives
Hat Brushes
Match Boxes
Military Brushes
Pencils
Rings—Diamond
Kings—Signet & Steel
Shaving Mirrors
Scarf Pins
Tie Clasps
Watches

Suggestions for Her

Bracelets
Bracelet Watches
Brooches
Baby Rings & Pins
Card Cases
Chatelaines
Coin Purses
Cuff Links
Combs
Collar & Bar Pins
Crosses
Hat Pins
LaVallieres
Lockets
Nailure Sets
Mirrors
Pendants
Rings—Diamond, Signet
Fancy Stones
Toilet Sets
Thumbes
Watches

Suggestions for All

Brassware
Clocks
Cut Glass
Candlesticks
Carving Sets
Creamer & Sugar Sets
Decanters
Fruit Dishes
Gravy Trays & Boats
Hand Painted China
Pepper & Salts
Pitchers
Punch Bowls & Glasses
Photo Frames
Salad Dishes
Silver Spoons
Silver Knives & Forks
Syrup Pitchers
Sandwich Trays
Silver Deposit Ware
Tea Sets
Vases

The gift of excellent taste and of lasting enduring charm is an article of Jewelry
for personal adornment, or Cut Glass, Silver, Hand Painted China, etc., for the Home.

When the gift is selected from our stocks it is an article of exquisite design, su-
perb workmanship and honest quality—a Gift that carries with it the quality or refined
taste and exclusiveness.

Inspection is cordially invited. Our prices will be found attractive and our offer-
ings all carry our guarantee regarding quality, etc.

John B. Schafer

Manufacturing Jeweler

515 McKean Avenue

Charleroi, Pa.

25,000 WANTED

IN THE

ARMY OF OCCUPATION

AT HOME

THE GOVERNMENT

is asking for a new force of men, women and children--25,000 in Washington county, who will agree to back up the one million men who form the army of occupation accross the seas. **Only a few days remain to enlist.** Perhaps this will be your last chance to serve in the great war. It is at least an opportunity which will not come many times in the future.

Washington county is so far about \$1,500,000 short of its quota in subscriptions to the War Savings Stamps. This remaining part of our quota must be made up by the 31st of December, 1918.

We have not failed in any War Campaign so far. We must not fail now.
HOW TO JOIN THIS HOME ARMY OF OCCUPATION

Sign a card like this:

MEMBERSHIP CARD

U. S. GOVERNMENT PLEDGE

In addition to and War Savings Stamps purchased before by me and in memory, honor to, support of Washington county's brave sons in the Army of Occupation over there, I agree for myself and family to purchase \$ of maturity value and thereby to become a member of Washington County's Home Army of Occupation.

W. S. S.--Honored Private \$25.00

W. S. S.--Non-commissioned Officer \$50.00

W. S. S.--Commissioned Officer \$100.00

I am one of 25,000 volunteers in Home Army Occupation.

Signed

Join yourself and get up a company of 200 in your own community. Let each large town or area organize a battalion of 1,200 men, women and children. Let us have at least two regiments in the entire county.

The War Savings Stamp is the best investment on earth. It is a U. S. government security.

1 War Savings Stamp costs now	\$4.23--
Will be worth Jan. 1, 1923	\$5.00
5 War Savings Stamps cost now	\$21.15--
Will be worth Jan. 1, 1923	\$25.00

10 War Savings Stamps cost now	\$42.30--
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Our Annual Christmas reduction sale on all Ladies, Misses and Children's Coats is a great opportunity to select a nice coat for the Christmas gift. A large selection at these special prices \$19.50 and \$24.50

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3—Turkish Towels	19c to \$1.25	19—Mens Neckwear	50c to \$3.00	35—Ginghams	25c to 85c yd
4—Crib Blankets	98c to \$2.95	20—Baby Dolls	10c to \$20.00	36—Xmas Ribbons	Wide Range of Prices
5—Huck Towels	29c to \$1.75	21—Womens Kimonos	\$1.95 to \$15	37—Corsets	\$1.50 to \$6.50
6—Bed Spreads	\$2.50 to \$10.00	22—Books for Boys and Girls	40c to 60c	38—Laundry Bags	59c to 75c
7—Bungalow Aprons	\$1.75 to \$2.00	23—Ladies Umbrellas	\$1.75 to \$12.00	39—Mens Silk Shirts	\$4.00 to \$8.50
8—Table Damask	75c to \$1.25 yd	24—Writing Paper	50c to \$2.00 box	40—Mens Sweaters	\$2.50 to \$12.00
9—Table Linens	\$2.00 to \$3.00 yd	25—Childrens Sweater Coats "Special"	\$2.00	41—Mens Linen Handkerchiefs	35c to 75c
10—Comforts	\$8.50 to \$13.00	26—Mens Bath Robes	\$4.00 to \$10.00	42—Womens and Childrens Handkerchiefs	Fixed 10c to \$1.75
11—Cretannes	25c to 75c yd	27—Ladies Bath Robes	\$4.50 to \$10	43—Mens Umbrellas	\$1.25 to \$4.00
12—Beads	25c to \$1.95	28—Smoking Jackets	\$5.00	44—Womens Silk Waists	\$3.95 to \$20.00
13—Necklaces	50c	29—Manicuring Sets	59c to \$12.50	45—Bill Folds	50c to \$3.50
14—Linen Luncheon Sets	\$5.00 to \$10.00	30—Mens and Boys Maekinaws	\$5.00 to \$12.00	46—Traveling Bags	\$3.50 to \$22.00
15—Ladies Neckwear	59c to \$2.75	31—Womens Kid Gloves	\$2.50 to \$3.50	47—Mens Silk Hose	75c to \$1.50
16—Bath Room Rugs	\$1.50 to \$2.50	32—Womens Silk Gloves	79c to \$1.50	48—Boys Suits	\$5.00 to \$16.00
17—Room Size Rugs	\$12.00 to \$100	33—Childrens Mittens	19c to \$1.00	49—Mens Collar Bags	\$1.50 to \$3.00
18—Carpet Sweepers	\$1.29 to \$12.50	34—Plaid Taffeta Silk	\$2.00 to \$3.00 yd	50—Woolen Blankets	up to \$18.00

A Few Suggestions to Aid the Busy Holiday Shopper---Check Off Items Wanted

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Is Crowded every Day. Bring the Children. They enjoy looking over Santa Claus Headquarters some Tomorrow--Come as often as you can.

Join the Red Cross for 1919--All You Need Is a Dollar and a Heart

Only 6 More Shopping Days Until Christmas

BERRYMAN'S Charleroi's Greatest Christmas Store

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FOR SALE—Five room house, bath and garage. 725 Lookout avenue. Inquire E. J. Charles Charleroi Savings and Trust Realty Dept. 151-tf

FOR SALE—One good horse 1600 lbs and outcure wagon. Inquire John Duda, 1113 Crest avenue. 165-tfp

FOR SALE—White iron bed, white dresser and chair, porch chairs and swing. Cheap to quick buyer. Inquire 351 Mail office. 165-tfp

FOR SALE—Reed baby carriage. Inquire 201 McKean Avenue Second floor. 165-t2-p

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Inquire at 101 Fallowfield avenue. 164-t6

WANTED—Twelve men between the ages of 25 and 45 who are willing to work and who have had some college experience. Good salary and commission. Apply in own handwriting to 328 Mail office. 152-tf

WANTED—Man to collect. Good wages to right party. Apply at PeoplesStore, 336 Fallowfield avenue. 161-tf

WANTED—Woman or girl to take charge of house. Small family. All adults. Good wages. Address 349 Mail office. 164-tfp

WANTED—Widow or elderly lady to assist with housework. Bell phone 562-W. 161-t6p

WANTED—A colored chef for the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad Y. M. C. A. at Newell, Pa. Call Bell phone 34 California. 165-tf

WANTED—Girl to wash dishes. Night turn. Apply National Restaurant Corner Sixth and McKean. 165-t3

LOST—Friday afternoon on Fifth street or McKean avenue, a child's white fur neck piece. Finder requested to leave at the Mail office. 163-t2

LOST—Child's taupe fur scarf between 6th and 7th street on Fallowfield avenue. Finder please leave at 250 Mail office. 165-t2

Public Sale of the Real Estate of John Rider, deceased

The undersigned will offer at Public sale on the premises on Thursday December 26 at 1:00 o'clock P. M. the following described property:

Farm of 45 acres more or less in Fallowfield township, Washington county, Penna. 5 miles from Charleroi on the Centerville road on which is erected an 8 room frame dwelling, piped for gas, a frame barn 32x45, a wagon shed and automobile garage combined, a frame spring house with good water within 50 feet of dwelling and other necessary buildings also a 4 room tenant house, a store room and blacksmith shop. The above property is under gas lease at the present time, is within 3-4 miles of the Fallowfield station on the Westside Electric Street Railway and is convenient to churches and the Public school is within 1-4 miles.

To be made known on day of sale. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

Mrs. Sarah E. Rider, Executrix
415 Meadow Avenue,
Charleroi, Pa.
W. W. Hixon, Auctioneer.

Give Flannel pajamas or Night Shirts. Full line. R. O. Vetter. 164-tf

To Whom It May Concern
Whereas my wife, Josephine Richard having left my bed and board without just cause, this is to notify all concerned that I will not be responsible for any debts she may contract from and after this date.
John B. Richard.
Charleroi, Pa.
December 17, 1918. 165-t3p

Get your Christmas trees and holly wreaths at Doerzbacher's. 165-t5

Christmas Candies.
For your Christmas candies drop in at the Sugar Bowl, 431 McKean avenue. Full line of homemade candies, chocolates and bon-bons. Fancy packages from 15c to 35c. 161-t3

Notice.
All Boy Scouts will meet at the scoutmasters house in full uniform Tuesday evening at 7 p. m.

See Charlie Chaplin in his latest picture "Shoulder Arms." Christmas Day at Coyle Theatre. 165-t2

Get your Christmas trees and holly wreaths at Doerzbacher's. 165-t5

Smoking Jackets \$6.50 to \$10. R. O. Vetter. 164-tf

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"Yes sir, this Tanlac beats anything I have ever before used," declared F. P. Shively a well known salesman who lives at 1007 Third St., Juniata, Pa.

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"I had suffered from stomach trouble. My indigestion was all out of sorts. I couldn't eat. Whenever I did try to take anything solid I would suffer from gas on my stomach and a sickening feeling that lasted for several hours afterward."

"My nerves were also out of gear, and I couldn't sleep sound and restful at night. I would wake up in the morning feeling heavy and languid, and I could scarcely muster up enough energy to get up and dress myself. I was in a bad way."

"After using two bottles of Tanlac my stomach seems in perfect shape, I can eat good and never sleep better in all my life. My weight has been increased three pounds by Tanlac. I can't get enough to eat now." Tanlac is now sold here by Piper's Pharmacy.

If hearts are played you can easily win with a diamond, we can help you in a selection at I Birken, 522 McKean avenue. 159-tf

Malted Milk was originated by HORLICK. Avoid imitations and substitutions.

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FOR SALE

For Sale: Five room house, Fallowfield avenue, \$2000.

Five room house, Lincoln, \$4500.

Six room house Fallowfield, \$6500

Six room house McKean, \$3000.

Eight room house Eight St., \$2500.

Nine room house and 8 room house Eight Street, \$4500

Four room house Lincoln, \$3500.

Six room house and vacant lot, \$4200.

Five room house, Crest, \$3000.

Six room and three room house Maple Creek, \$2000.

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112 Fallowfield avenue Charleroi, Pa.

All Trimmed Hats AT SPECIAL PRICES

That should attract the people in this community

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6 room and bath, lot 60x150. Price is right. Lock Four.

Modern 8 room house. Crest avenue, with view of river for miles. Excellent location. Just the home for particular party.

5 room house McKean Ave \$2800.

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Don't trifle with a cold—it's dangerous. You can't afford to risk Influenza. Keep always at hand a box of

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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

Whereas my wife, Pearl Stiger having left my bed and board without just cause, this is to notify all persons that I will not be responsible for any debts she may contract from and after this date.

Signed, W. P. Stiger.

Charleroi, Dec. 16, 1918. 164-t3p

Seeing is believing, we do not want you to buy, we only want an opportunity to show you, we expect to sell you only when we can convince you. Try I. Birken, 522 McKean avenue. 159-tf

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307 Sixth street 4 rooms \$1700.

1101 McKean Ave 5 rooms \$2600.

1103 McKean Ave 5 rooms \$2400.

729 McKean Ave 4 rooms \$3000.

225 Lookout Ave 5 rooms \$1500.

227 Lookout Ave 5 rooms \$1500.

235 Lookout Ave 5 rooms \$1600.

235 Lookout Ave 5 rooms \$1600.

105 Sixth street 6 rooms \$4000.

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Won't stain the skin, leaves no marks, wastes no time in applying, sure to give quick results. A large bottle means economy. Your own or any other druggist has it. Get it today.

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